

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Applicant : Joseph Allen Carroll and Robert L. Mitchell
Title : Clip-Mounted Catalyst Device

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Examiner : T.P. Duong

Docket No. : 10782-0010
Customer No. : 29052

AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Mail Stop RCE
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action mailed May 17, 2005, please amend the application as follows and reconsider the application in view of the following remarks and the attached Rule 132 Declaration by Robert L. Mitchell.

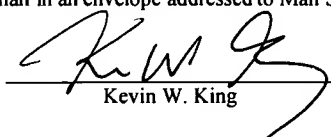
A Request for Continued Examination (RCE) and a Petition for an Extension of Time for two-months to October 17, 2005, along with the appropriate fees therefore, are enclosed herewith.

The Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 7 of this paper.

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